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For: METHOD FOR CHECKING OR CALIBRATING THE ANGLE-DEPENDENT

ALIGNMENT OF A HIGH-PRECISION TEST PIECE

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